



BORDERLINE ART

Borderline Regional Arts Association Incorporated

Stanthorpe ✨



Tenterfield ✨

Newsletter May 2012

Greetings

Very Important!!!!!!!

The **Borderline** exhibition "**Artsong**" opens at the **Forest to Furniture Gallery** on **Sunday June 3** - to coincide with the Wintersong Carnival in Tenterfield (June 18 - 26).

The opening will be a "**Brunch**" with Amanda from the Coach House Café at Lyra doing the catering. Entry to the event will be by donation (for Borderline) and patrons will pay for food and drink. **So please keep the morning of June 3 free and invite all your friends.**

We would like as many works as possible so please participate. There will be an entry fee of **\$5 per work**. Works can be left at **Forest to Furniture** (or at my place at 5 Jubilee Street). For people from the Stanthorpe area, works can be left with **Linda Clutterbuck** at her workplace at **Chandler Macleod**. Please ensure works have protective wrapping.

There is no theme for this show, though this could change in future years, when the lead-in time will be greater. And while new works would be great, any past works that have not been shown in Tenterfield would be acceptable.

Borderline has agreed to have a float in the **Wintersong Street Parade** on **Saturday June 23**. Chris Hangan is letting us paint her old campervan, and perhaps we will tow a trailer with an artist at an easel painting a picture. Any ideas (and volunteers) would be appreciated. Perhaps people, including children, in paint splattered clothing (face painting) could walk along side carrying examples of our work etc.

A recent van painting day was washed out, so another effort will be organized. Maybe during our exhibition, or perhaps at the opening.

Also, we would like to invite visitors to the exhibition to help create one (or more) largish abstracts by cutting and pasting colourful shapes onto a board. To do this we need members to provide sheets of coloured paper eg cartridge painted with single colours.

More details, entry forms, invitations will be forthcoming.

The **Tom Spence Project** is moving slowly towards a painting start. Paint and brushes have been bought and some frames have been stretched. Rather than having a general roster, we have decided to plan the roster around each work. So it will be a matter of deciding which work to do and then looking for people to help.

Meanwhile visit

ArtWorks on Davadi Community Art Space

"Graphite Wood & Stone"

An exhibition of works by **Tom Spence** and sculptures by **Gabriele Trabucco**.

Until **May 24**.

<http://www.thomasspenceartist.com.au/>

For information related to Art Works call

Linda Desgrand on 0414 903 384

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The Country Art Escapes regional art trail will be launched on **Friday 1 June at 6pm at the Tamworth Regional Gallery**, by Kevin Anderson, MP, Member for Tamworth. This Arts North West initiative is the culmination of almost two years of planning and aims to promote the region's arts and cultural venues and events through cultural

tourism. The website

www.countryartescapes.com.au is almost complete, it will go live in the very near future.

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Our **"Shine:eniHS"** exhibition at the **Texas Regional Art Gallery** runs until **May 12**. The exhibition made full use of the gallery and the public response has been excellent. Ian Clutterbuck and I will pick up the work and so will be available for collection from the above date.

May 12 – June 23

A joint exhibition of watercolour paintings by **Judy Mayne** from Goondiwindi, and **Anne McWilliam** from Brisbane

Gallery Hours: Tues-Fri 10am-4pm

Sat 10am- 1pm

Tel **07 4653 2614**

Borderline members are invited to the opening of **"Art in the Mill"** on **Friday May 4 at 7:00 pm** at Ballandean. The exhibition continues over the Labour Day long weekend (Qld) - **May 5,6,7**.

"Art in the Mill" is an important social and cultural event in the Granite Belt calendar as well as being a successful outlet for local artists. It is also an essential part of Borderline's balance sheet as proceeds from the raffle go a long way towards paying our insurance bill.

Stanthorpe Art Gallery

Until May 13

The exhibition **"gw bot: the long paddock - A 30 YEAR SURVEY"** is a touring exhibition developed by Goulburn Regional Art Gallery **May 17 – June 24**

"Yesterday to Today"

Historic Italian Collection – memorabilia from the Dante Alighieri Society Stanthorpe

Penelope Hillam (Gallery Director)

Tel: 07 4681 1874

Email: director@srag.org.au

Warwick Art Gallery

April 12 - May20 2012

On and Off the Road Ian Smith

A Gold Coast City Art Gallery travelling exhibition

Ian Smith is a senior Australian artist born in Cairns and now living in Brisbane. **Ian Smith On and Off the Road** features 39 of Smith's paintings.

25 May to 1July 2012

Days of Summer

Works by important Australian Artist

Salvatore Zofrea. (Google his name and you can see examples of his work)

A Maitland Regional Art Gallery Touring Exhibition

Karina Devine (Gallery Director)

Tel: 07 4661 0434

Email: artgallery@warwick.qld.gov.au

www.warwickartgallery.com.au

The Frost Over Barraba Arts Festival

Thurs June 28 to Sun July 1

The Art Exhibition will be located in the RSL Memorial Hall, with the Preview Night on Thursday June 28.

This will include a light dinner and an opportunity to meet the Judges and hear their comments.

The new **Acquisitive Prize** of \$2000 for the Best Painting Exhibited. People's Choice of \$200, Packing Room Prize of \$50, prizes of \$250 each for Water Colour, Oil/Acrylic, Open, Pastel, Drawing and Printmaking, \$150 each for Miniature and Novice. This section will be judged by Julia Griffin of Walcha.

The **Photography** section is being judged by Simon Scott of Armidale, with \$100 for best work, and \$50 each for Open Colour, Open Black and White, Portrait, and two new sections of Creative and Macro.

Irene Esteves of Muswellbrook will be judging the **Pottery** section, with \$100 for best work, \$75 each for Hand Built and Thrown and \$45 for Novice.

Each of the Judges will be exhibiting their own work, with other guest artists.

Irene Esteves, Peter McKnight will also be demonstrating their skills at the Artists and Artisans at Work as part of the Frost Fair in the Youth Centre.

Schedules and Entry Forms can be downloaded from the Barraba Community Website barraba.com.au

Any enquiries can be forward to

Sarah Marrett Secretary

Frost Over Barraba

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Ceramic Break Sculpture Park

Journeys across NSW

as seen through the eyes of Paul McCarthy, ARAS

An exhibition by an award winning Sydney artist whose representational style and techniques result in vibrant translations of our land.

Also featuring new works by **Robyne Berling**

Exhibition continues through May

Opening Hours:

March to Mid December 10am to 5pm

Thurs, Fri, Sat, Sun - or by Appointment

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We have contemplated organizing a weekend (a visit and/or a workshop) at Kerry Cannon's Sculpture Park. Kerry is a long time member of Borderline. If you could be interested let me know.

Big Time Gallery

**Big Time Gallery, 8/9 Bruxner Hwy, Drake
02 6737 6790**

bigtimegallery@gmail.com

Glen Innes Art Gallery

Until May 11

"In The New England" – images indicative of our region.

May 21 – June 15

General Exhibition

Email: giartgallery@gmail.com

For more information phone the Glen Innes Art Gallery on **02 6730 2610** or **John Lobley** on **02 6732 7073**.

FAY BOYD'S FINE ART SCHOOL (the registered business name)

Dates: **September 23 to 27** inclusive
Workshops will all be held at Grafton High School.

Website: www.fayboydsfineartschool.com

Email: info@fayboydsfineartschool.com

Phone: **02 6643 1528**

Take a look at our website!

<http://www.granitenet.com.au/groups/crafts/borderline>

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Louise would like someone who could help with maintaining a section of the website. A high level of skill is not required. Contact Louise at 02 6736 2028

At our last meeting it was decided to have at least three meetings per year at sites closer to Stanthorpe. The SRAG (with permission of Penelope) will be the usual choice but if anyone would like to host a meeting please let us know (particularly if you have a studio that might be of interest). April, July and October are months for these meetings in 2012.

I am always looking for items for the newsletter. If you know of any exhibitions, competitions, or items that would be of interest please send them to me.

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Next Meeting at Jennings Hotel at 8:30 am EST on Saturday May 21.

Everyone is welcome. We are missing one essential part of our composite painting, but I don't recall whose work is missing.

The theme for the month is **"Autumn"**.